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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/857,456

Dear Examiner Lankford:

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My assistant has tried to contact you this week but has not yet been successful.

I am planning to be at the Patent Office on May 1, 2007 for another interview and would like to meet with you to discuss the recently filed Response to Office Action for the referenced application. Since I will be accompanied by the chief technical person for the assignee of the application you are handling, this could be a good opportunity to discuss the terms in question.

Please let me know at your earliest opportunity if you are available to meet with me at 12:30 p.m. or after on May 1. If I do not hear from you, since I will be there anyway, I will drop by after lunch to see if you have time for a brief discussion.

Thank you.

Thomas D. Kohler